HB 457 -- CARDIOPULMONARY INSTRUCTION IN SCHOOLS

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Beginning in the 2016-17 school year, a student may not receive a certificate of graduation from any public or charter school unless he or she passes a course in cardiopulmonary resuscitation and the use of automated external defibrillators. The Department of Elementary and Secondary Education must establish procedures for monitoring compliance with this requirement. The department may adjust state grants and shared revenue amounts based on failure of a school to comply.